Air Resources Board



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PUBLIC WORKSHOP TO DISCUSS DRAFT REGULATION TO LIMIT OZONE EMISSIONS FROM INDOOR AIR CLEANERS (AB 2276, Pavley, 2006)

Interested Parties:

The California Air Resources Board (ARB) invites you to participate in the third public workshop to discuss a draft regulation to limit the emissions of ozone from indoor air cleaning devices, as required by Assembly Bill (AB) 2276 (2006, Pavley). The workshop is scheduled as indicated below. The workshop will also be webcast and a telephone conference line provided, for those who cannot attend in person.

Date: Monday, June 11, 2007

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Please arrive by 9:45 a.m. to sign in at the

Visitors' Center and receive a temporary badge.

Location: California Environmental Protection Agency

Sierra Hearing Room, 2nd floor

1001 I Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

<u>Webcast participation</u>: visit http://www.arb.ca.gov/app/calendar/cal_wbcst.php prior to the workshop to assure that you have any software programs needed to view our webcast. On the day of the workshop, join the webcast at 10:00 a.m. by visiting the same link and clicking on the appropriate item. Webcast participants will be able to ask questions or make comments via email or a teleconference line. The teleconference phone line will be available at 10:00 a.m. for those who would like to participate by phone. To call in, dial 1-800-857-3795 and give the Passcode, 15350, and leader's name, Peggy Jenkins, when prompted.

The purpose of this workshop is to obtain input from interested stakeholders and members of the public on the revised draft Air Cleaner Regulation, and on a draft staff report for the regulation. These will be made available in early June on our air cleaner regulation webpage at: http://www.arb.ca.gov/research/indoor/aircleaners/aircleaners.htm. In response to comments received on the previous draft regulation, we are planning to add an effective manufacture date of September 30, 2008 and to move the effective sale date to March 30, 2009; reduce the information required on the certification application; require test laboratories to pass an ARB audit; use package labeling consistent with that specified

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in AB 2276; and make other editorial revisions. The draft staff report will lay out the basic rationale for the regulation requirements, and identify the need for and potential impacts of the regulation.

Comments may be provided orally at the workshop, in writing, or both. Written comments should be submitted by June 25, 2007 to aircleaners@listserv.arb.ca.gov. Email submittal is strongly preferred for written comments; however, those who prefer may submit comments to:

Peggy Jenkins Research Division, 5th floor California Air Resources Board P.O. Box 2815 1001 I Street Sacramento, CA 95812

To keep interested parties informed, we have established an "air cleaner" listserve, which is accessible at http://www.arb.ca.gov/listserv/listserv.php. Please feel free to join the listserve if you are not already on it. Those on the listserve will receive an email notification whenever information is added to the air cleaner regulation webpage indicated above.

For individuals with sensory disabilities, this document is available in Braille, large print, audio cassettes or computer disk. Also, special accommodation can be made for the workshop. Please contact ARB's Disability Coordinator at (916) 323-4916 by voice or through the California Relay Service by calling 711, to place your request for disability services. If you are a person with limited English and would like to request interpreter services, please contact ARB's Bilingual Manager at (916) 323-7053.

We look forward to your participation. If you would like hard copies of materials as they are released, please call 916-445-0753. For technical questions regarding the workshop or the draft regulation, please contact Peggy Jenkins at mjenkins@arb.ca.gov, or (916) 323-1504. I can be reached at (916) 327-8225, or lsmith@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

Linda Tombras Smith, Chief Health and Exposure Assessment Branch Research Division

Cc: Peggy Jenkins
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